IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Keiko YAMASAKI et al'.

Serial No. 09/914,265

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of May 20, 2003.

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- (X) submitted herewith.
- () to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 - () is enclosed.
 - () has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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